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SEC. 1902 COMPARABLE PENALTIES FOR FAILURE TO FILE RETURN
          RELATING TO TRANSFERS TO FOREIGN ENTITIES.
   (a) IN GENERAL Section 1494 is amended by adding at the
end the following new subsection:
   "(c) PENALTY<mark>.—I</mark>n the case of any failure to file a
required by the Secretary with respect to any
                                             described
transfer
in section 1491, the person required to file such
                           shall
liable for the penalties provided in section 6677 in the
as if such failure were a failure to file a notice
under
                                                 section
6048(a)."
   (b) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendment made by subsection (a)
26 use 1494
shall apply to transfers after the date of the enactment of
this
Act.
SEC. 1903. MODIFICATIONS OF RULES RELATING TO FOREIGN TRUSTS
         HAVING ONE OR MORE UNITED STATES BENEFICIARIES.
   (a) TREATMENT OF TRUST OBLIGATIONS. ETC.—
       (1) Paragraph (2) of section 679(a) is amended by striking
   subparagraph (B) and inserting the following:
"(B) TRANSFERS AT FAIR MARKET VALUE.—To any
       trans-
       fer of property to a trust in exchange for
       consideration
       of at least the fair market value of the
       transferred
                                               property.
                                              sentence
            nurposes of the preceding
       consideration
                                                   other
       than cash shall be taken into account at its
       fair
                                                 market
       value."
       (2) Subsection (a) of section 679 (relating to foreign trusts
   having one or more United States beneficiaries) is amended
   by adding at the end the following new paragraph: "(3) CERTAIN OBLIGATIONS NOT TAKEN INTO ACCOUNT
   UNDER
   FAIR MARKET VALUE EXCEPTION.—
          "(A) IN GENERAL.—In determining whether
       naragraph
       (2)(B) applies to any transfer by a person
       described
       clause (ii) or (iii) of subparagraph
                                                    (C).
       there
                              shall
       be taken into accoun<mark>t...</mark>
   "(i) except as provided in regulations, any obliga-
    tion of a person described in subparagraph (C)
 "(ii) to the extent provided in regulations.
          obligation which is guaranteed by a person
                                              described
                                   in subparagraph (C).
       "(B) TREATMENT OF PRINCIPAL PAYMENTS ON OBLIGA-
       TION—Principal payments by the trust on any obligation
       referred to in subparagraph (A) shall be taken into account on and after the date of the payment in determining the
       portion of the trust attributable to the property
       transferred.
       "(C) PERSONS DESCRIBED,—The persons described in
       this subparagraph are—
       '(i) the trust."

"(ii) any grantor or beneficiary of the trust, and
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"(iii) any person who is related (within the meaning of section 643(i)(2)(B)) to any grantor or beneficiary of the trust."

(2) EXEMPTION OF TRANSFERS TO CHARITABLE TRUSTS—Subsection (a) of section 679 is amended by striking "section 404(a) (4)

or 404<mark>A"</mark> and inserting "section 6048(a)(3)(B)(ii)".
(3) OTHER MODIFICATIONS—Subsection (a) of section 679 is amended by adding at the end the following new paragraphs: